

**Topic:**

**Ancient Egypt**



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## **How did Ancient Egypt Develop?**

**Civilization relied on the \_Nile River\_**

**Why was the river so important?????????????**

**The River provided food**

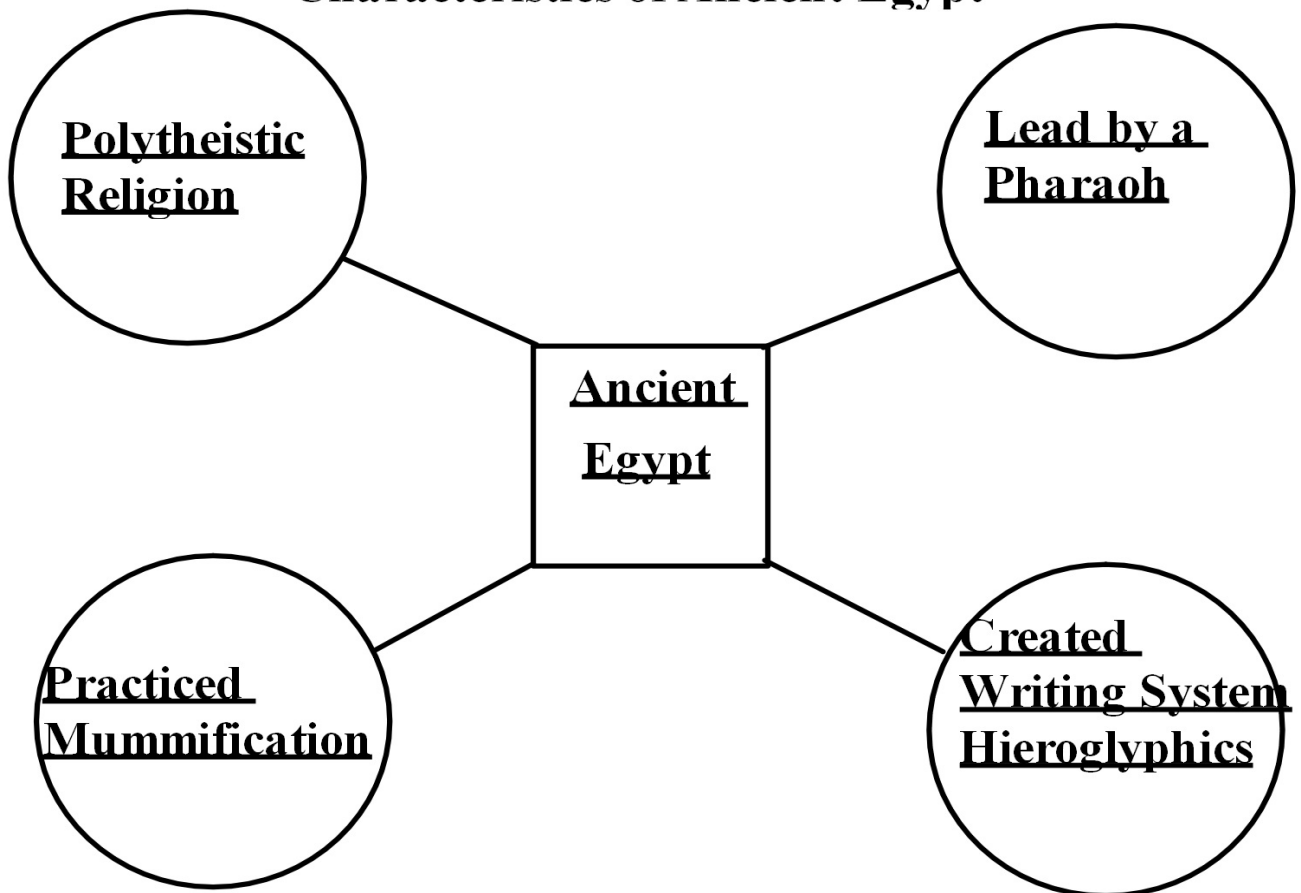
**The River provided water**

**The River provided rich soil from floods**

**Silt- particles of rich soil**



## Characteristics of Ancient Egypt





# Egyptian Social Order

Ancient Egyptian Society was shaped somewhat like a pyramid.



## **Pharaoh**

**Pharaoh mean "Great House"**

**Pharaoh controlled the government and religious rituals**

## Pyramids

**Built as tombs for  
Pharaohs**

**Pyramids could take 20  
years to build**

**Pyramids were built by  
farmers during the flood  
season**





## **The Evolution of Pyramids in Egypt**



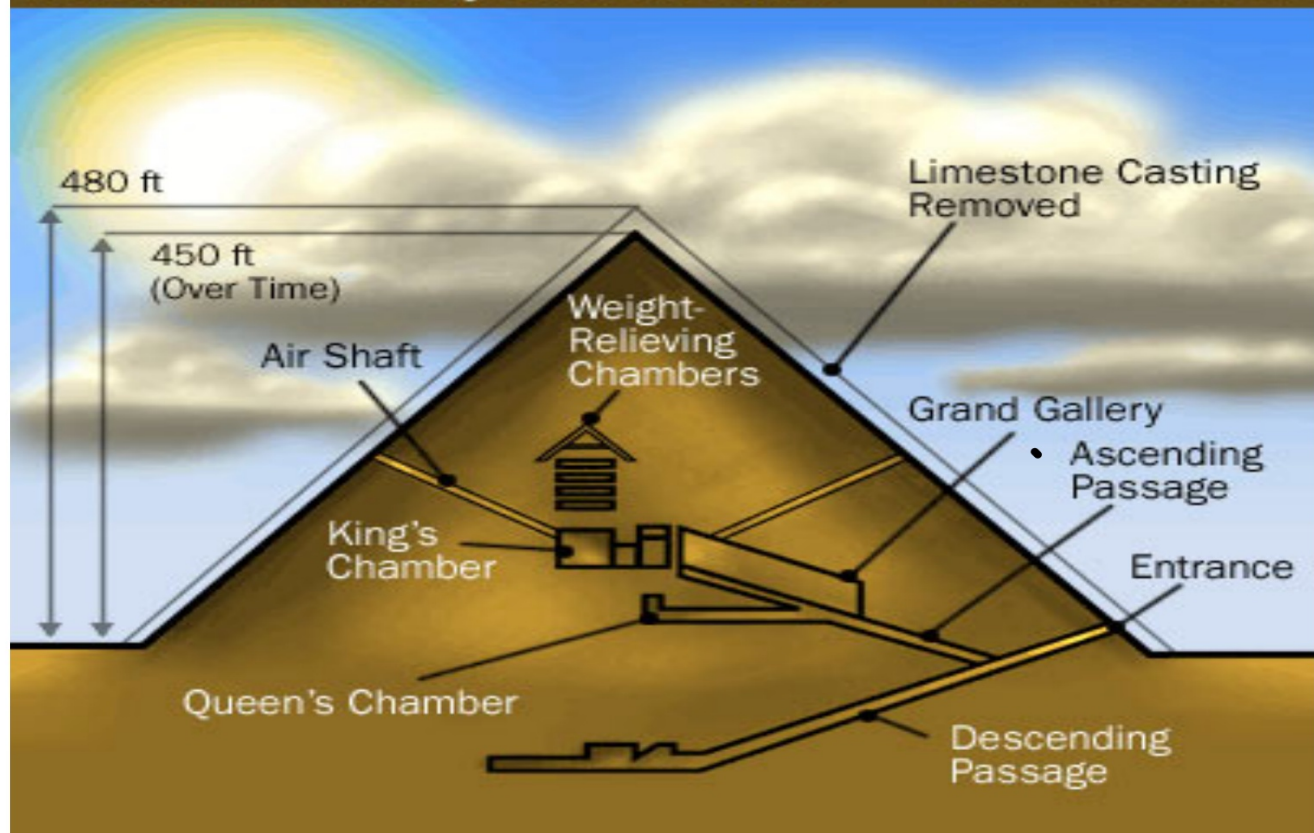


**The Bent Pyramid**



## Inside the Great Pyramid of Khufu

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## Sphinxes

**Sphinxes were constructed with a lion body and a persons head. Believed to be protectors of temples and pyramids**





## Polytheistic Religion

Polytheistic Religions worship more than one God

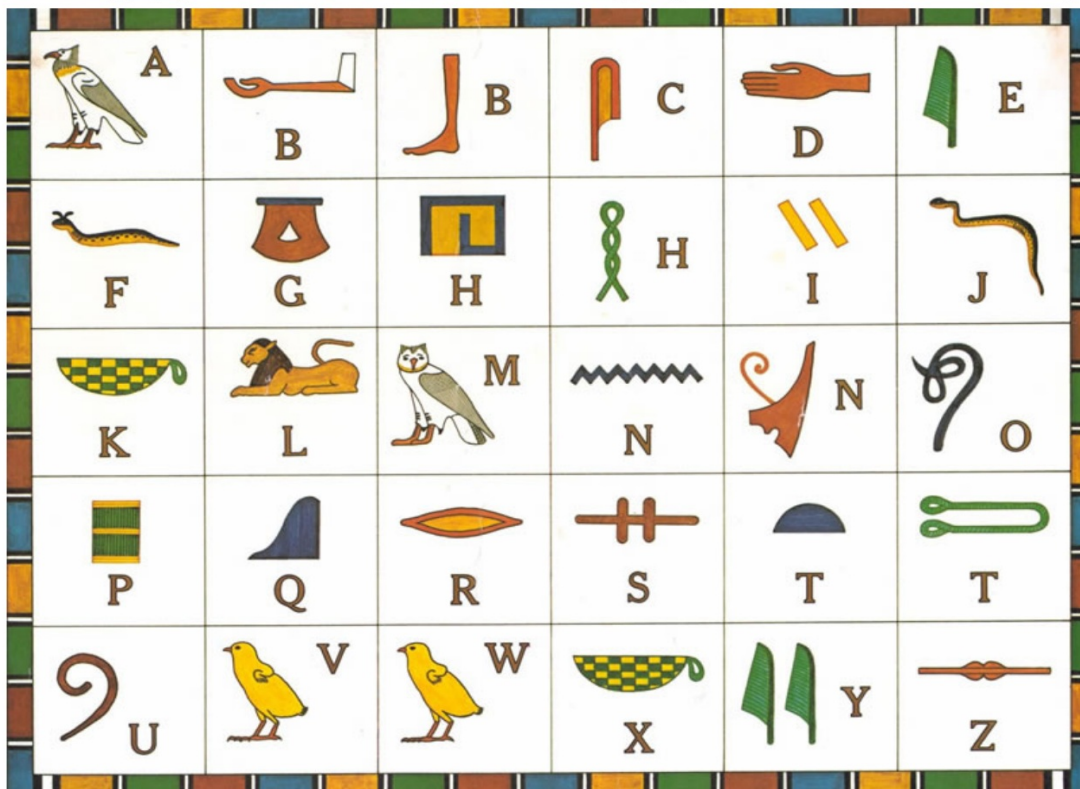
### Horus- Sun God





## Hieroglyphics

Hieroglyphics were the writing system of Ancient Egypt



## **The Sunday Papyrus ?????**

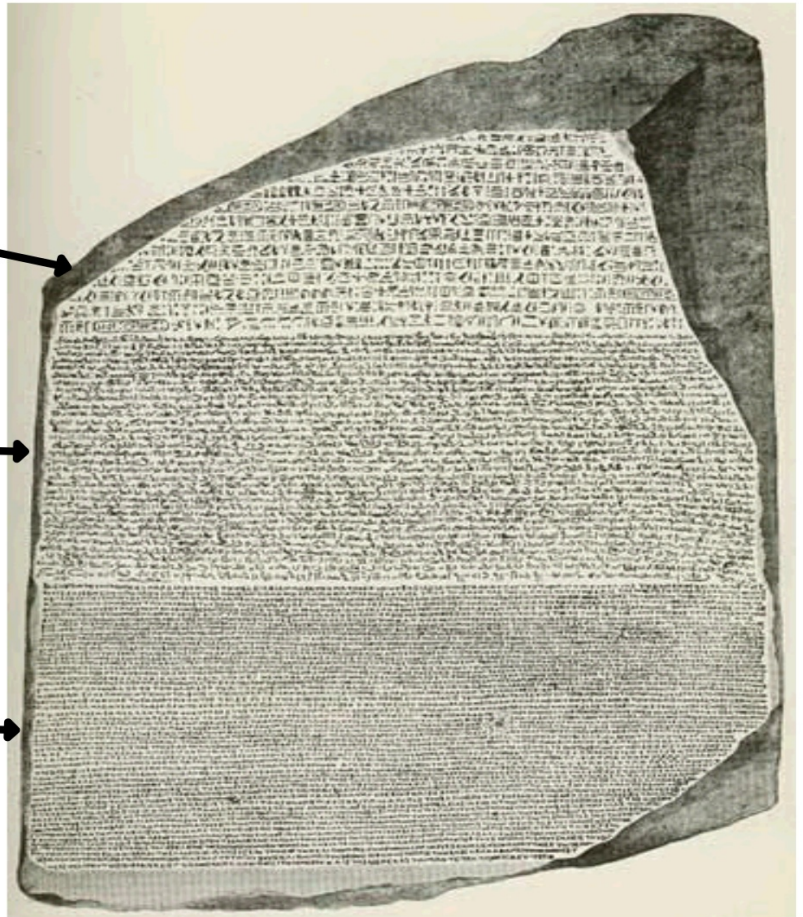
**Egypt's used a plant called Papyrus to made paper to record information**



Rosetta Stone was  
used to help  
translate  
Hieroglyphics  
Hieroglyphics

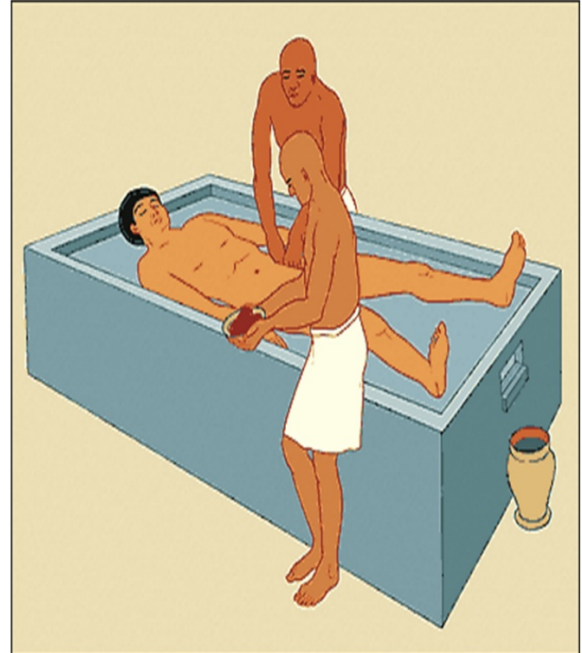
Demotic

Greek



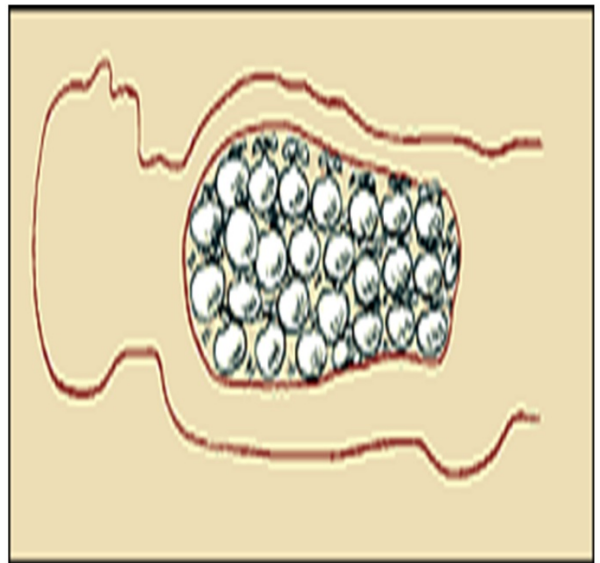
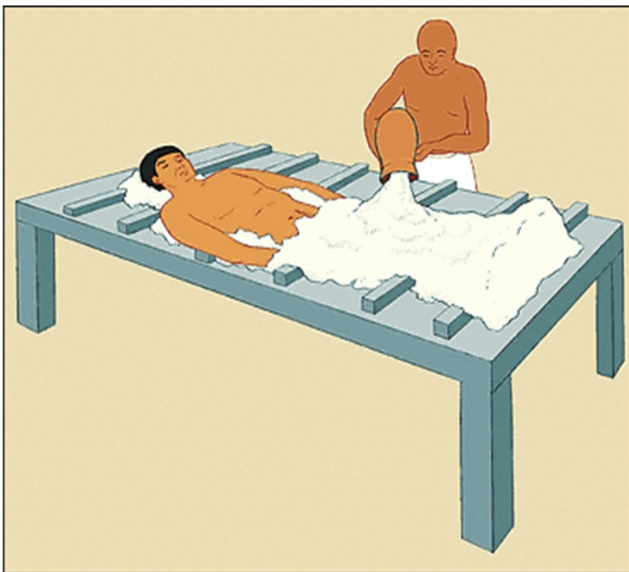
## **Mummies and the Mummification Process**

**The Body would be washed clean and the organs, except the heart, would be removed**



## Applying Natron

**The body was covered with natron, a natural salt, to dry the body out. This took about 40 days.**





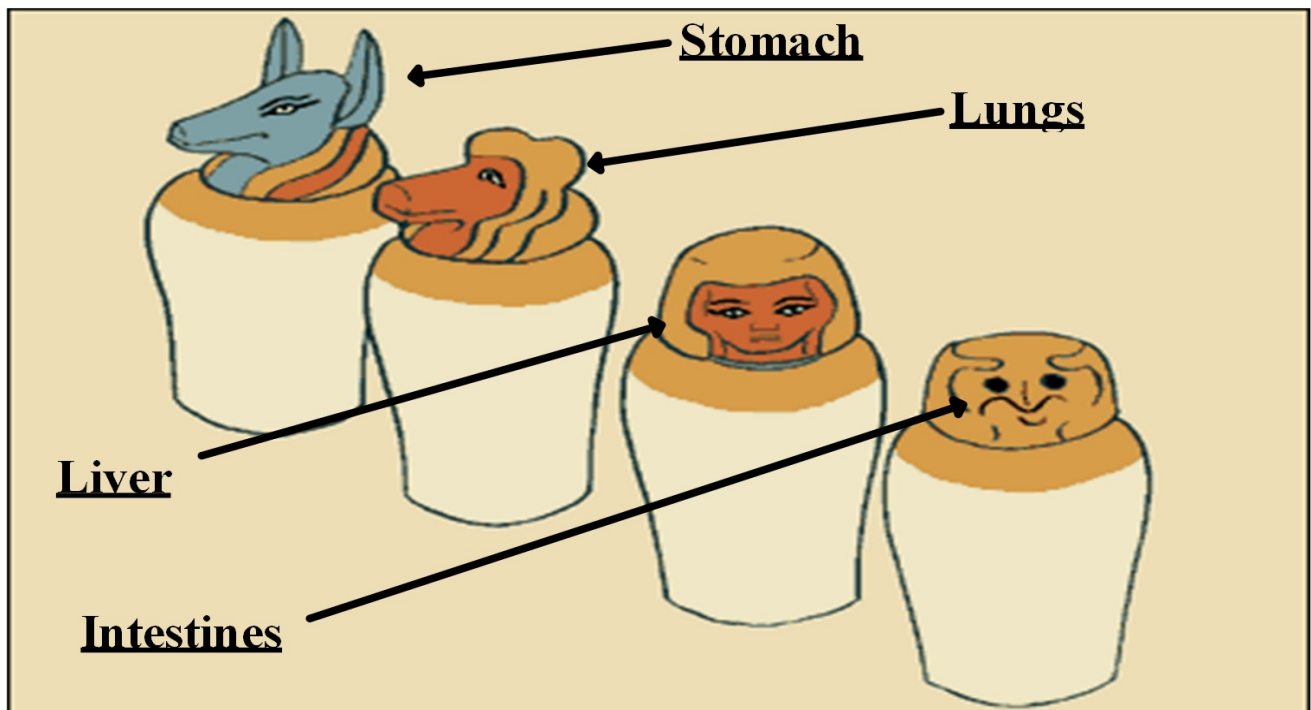
The body was washed again and was stuff with **wood chips**, sawdust or leaves to make it lifelike.



## Canopic Jars

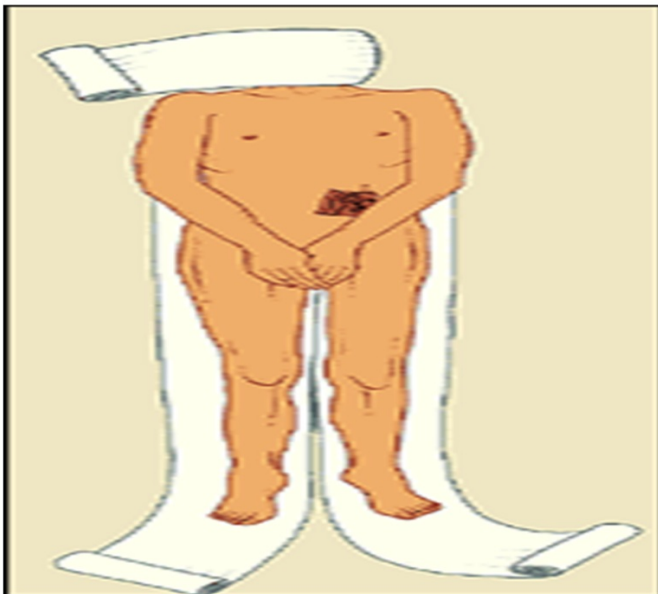
**Yucky Yuck Yuck!!!!**

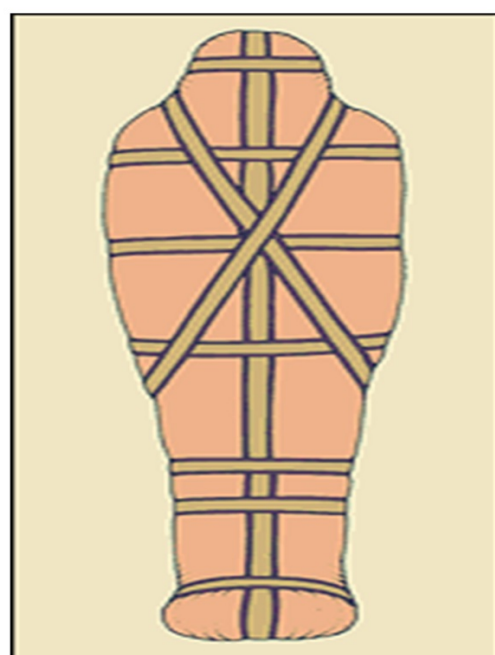
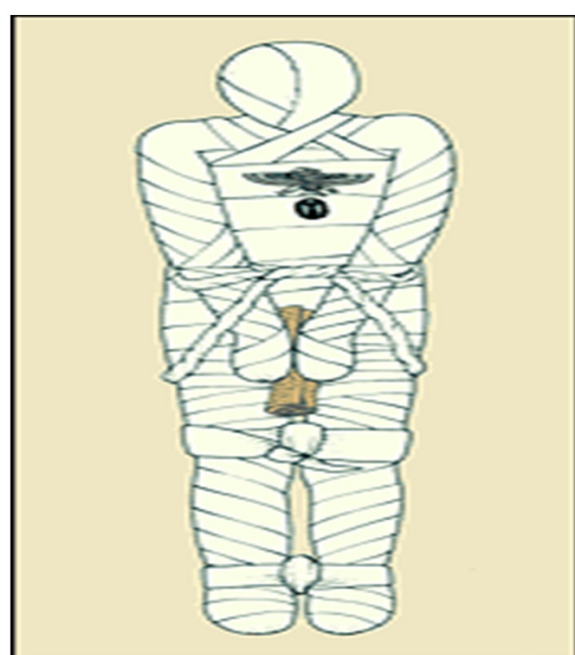
**The lungs, liver, stomach and Intestines**



## Wrapping the Body

**The body would be wrapped several times starting with the head. Amulets would also be placed on the body to protect it in the afterlife**





**Burial Mask**



**Sarcophagus**





**What else did Egyptians Mummify??????**



**Cats**

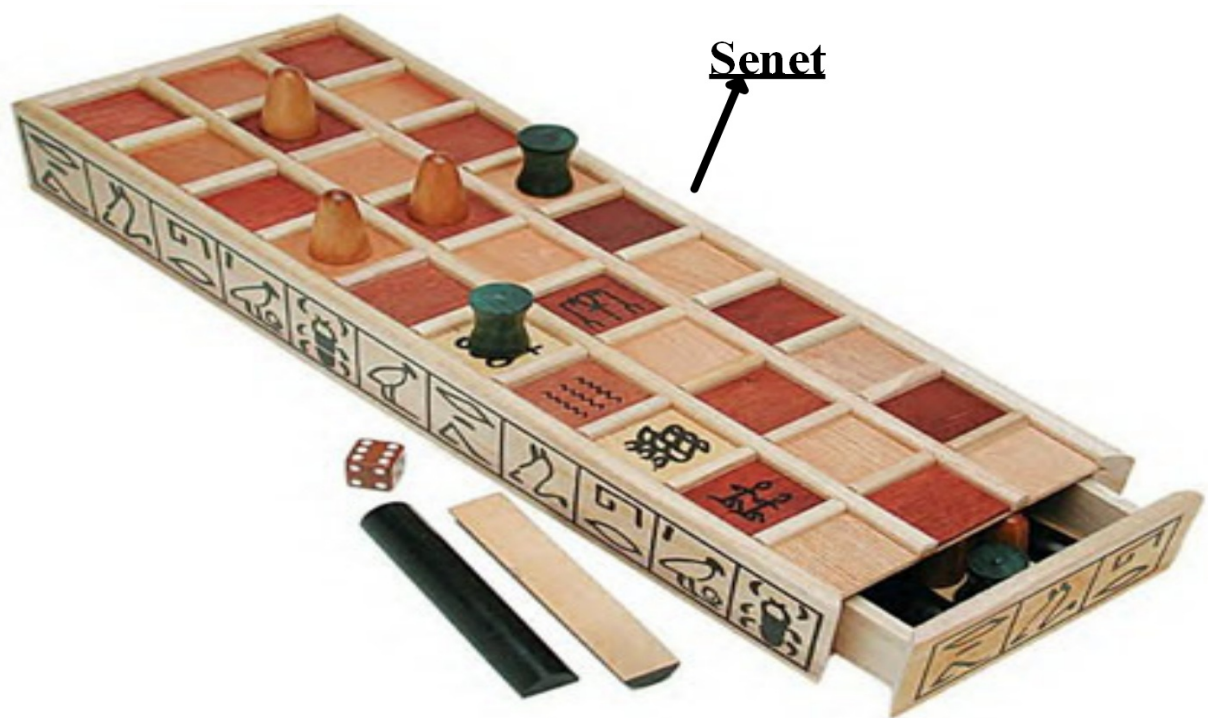
**Associated with the  
Goddess Bastet**



**Crocodiles**

**Was a symbol for the god  
Sobek**

## Entertainment in Egypt



## **Leapfrog**



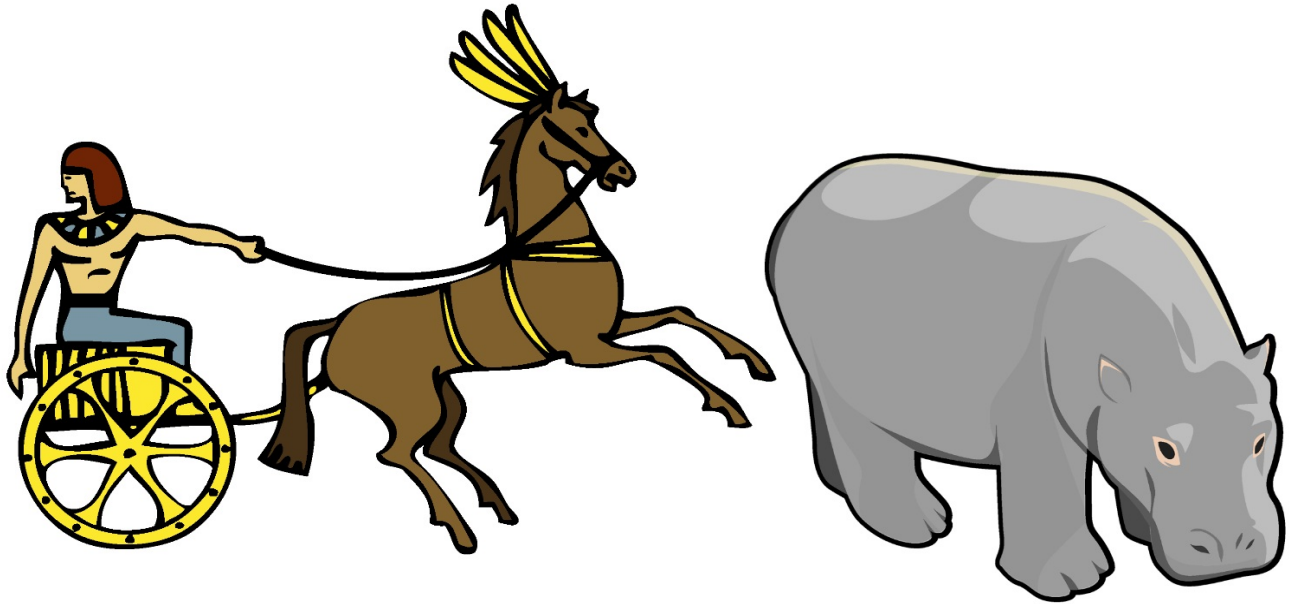
## **Tug of War**



**Hunting of Animals**  
**but Just for the Nobles**



## Creation of the Chariot made Hunting Easier





**Yum, Yum for the Tum, Tum**

**Poor**

**Ate mostly grains and fruits**

**Rich**

**Had meat and poultry**

